REMARKS

Due to the sending of additional material in connection with the first Office Action, the 3-month period for response was extended to June 25, 2004.

By the submission of a substitute specification, the specification has now been amended to insert proper headings.

The Abstract has been amended to delete reference to a drawing figure.

A proposed drawing amendment has been submitted to add legends to the boxes in Fig. 1 of the drawings.

The claims have been amended to correct informalities under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph and to more particularly point out and distinctly claim the differences in the invention from the applied art of record.

Claims 1-10 were rejected as anticipated by Isaac, U.S. Pat. No. 6,647,531.

Isaac teaches a user-selected customization information for selecting customized HTML information in a computer network. These are sometimes referred to as "user home pages."

In contrast, the present invention is directed to a method and a facsimile machine for retrieving web pages and web page addresses such as hypertext links, and displaying the links (selection zones) as a tightly formed list or as a block of information in a tightly condensed area so as to be viewed on a very small screen, or in a small area on a screen.

Amended claim 1 now reads as follows:

Process of navigating on a computer network with a data processing device comprising, a screen (52) smaller than the size of a server page (11), wherein the server page (11) comprises information (13) and selection zones (12) for selecting other pages (11) and wherein the processing device further comprises means (55, 56) for designating a selection zone (12) of the server page (11), the process comprising locating the selection zones (12), transmitting the selection zones (12) to the screen (52) and displaying the selection zones (12) as a block of data, without displaying other

information (13) that was displayed with the selection zones on a page, and calling up another page (121 to 125) by designating one of the displayed zones (12).

Isaac does not teach the method including the act of "displaying the selection zones (12) as a block of data, without displaying other information (13) that was displayed with the selection zones on a page," as now recited in claim 1 of the instant application.

In Isaac, once customization is done, and the home page (Figs. 4 and 6 in Isaac) is returned to the user, the process of acquiring information is as usual (figure 2, the information 72 is accessed with scroll bar 74).

Claim 2 adds the feature where data fields may be displayed with the block of selection zones in the event that certain web addresses require a password for access.

In the instant application, the acquisition of bulk information page leads to the separation of HTML selection zones "as a block" (claim 6 of pending application), displayed alone from other information, on the screen (52), thanks to "means (51) for analysis of the page" (claim 6 of the pending application). Isaac is deficient to teach means (51).

As far as claim 6 is concerned, Isaac does not teach any facsimile machine compromising means arranged for supplying as a block to display means other page selecting zones. Moreover, the machine taught by Isaac is not designed for implementing the process of claim 1 of the instant case.
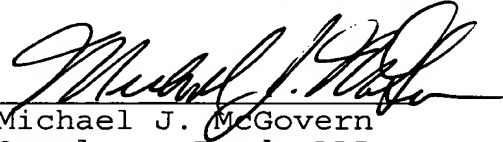
CONCLUSION

In view of the amendment and remarks, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested. After the amendment, claims 1-10 are still pending and a Notice of Allowance for these claims is earnestly solicited.

No fee is believed to be due, but in the event any fee or credit is deemed to be due, authorization is hereby granted to charge Quarles & Brady Deposit Acct. 17-0055.

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